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(for Noncontinuing, Nonprovisional Applications under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. 79820

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Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is the nonprovisional, noncontinuing patent application for:

Title: OPTION VALUATION METHOD AND APPARATUS

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☒ 24 pages of the specification (including claims) are enclosed.

☒ 6 sheet(s) of drawings are enclosed. ☒ Formal ☐ Informal

☒ An executed Oath or Declaration and Power of Attorney naming the actual inventors is enclosed.

☐ The names of persons believed to be the actual inventors are set forth in the enclosed unexecuted Oath or Declaration and Power of Attorney (§1.41(a) and §1.53(b)).

☐ An Assignment of the invention to ____, and cover sheet are enclosed.

- ☐ A check in the amount of $ ____ to cover the fee for recording the assignment is enclosed.
- ☐ The Recordation Form Cover Sheet includes authorization to charge our Deposit Account for recording the assignment.

☐ A 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) statement is enclosed where an assignee seeks to take action.

☐ An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed.

- ☐ A Form PTO/SB/08 is enclosed.
- ☐ ____ References (copies) listed as foreign patent documents or non-patent literature on Form PTO/SB/08 (37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)) are enclosed.

☒ A Return Receipt Postcard is enclosed (MPEP §503).

☐ Priority of application number _____ filed on _____ in _____ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

☐ A certified copy of the priority document is enclosed.

☐ A Computer Program Listing Appendix is enclosed.

☐ A Transmittal Cover Letter for Computer Program Listing Appendix is enclosed.

☐ Two (2) Compact Discs are enclosed.

☐ A Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission is enclosed.

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GENERAL AUTHORIZATION FOR PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3)

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